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FILING DATE: APRIL 16, 2004  
TITLE: RESPONSE-BASED ANALOG-TO-DIGITAL CONVERSION  
APPARATUS AND METHOD  
EXAMINER: JOSEPH LAUTURE  
GROUP ART UNIT: 2819  
ATTY. DKT. No.: 1042.2.3

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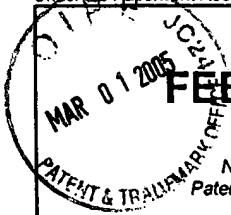
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|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|-------------------|
|                                |               | Application Number     | 10/826,239        |
|                                |               | Filing Date            | April 16, 2004    |
|                                |               | First Named Inventor   | Donald T. Comer   |
|                                |               | Group Art Unit         | 2819              |
|                                |               | Examiner Name          | Joseph J. Lauture |
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**FEE CALCULATION****1. FILING FEE****Large Entity** **Small Entity**

| Fee Code            | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description                              | Fee Paid |
|---------------------|----------|----------|----------|--|----------|
| 1011                | 300      | 2011     | 150      | Utility Filing Fee                           |          |
| 1111                | 500      | 2111     | 250      | Utility Search Fee                           |          |
| 1311                | 200      | 2311     | 100      | Utility Examination Fee                      |          |
| 1081                | 250      | 2081     | 125      | Utility over 100 sheet fee per additional 50 |          |
| 1085                | 250      | 2085     | 125      | Provisional over 100 sheet fee per add. 50   |          |
| 1005                | 200      | 2005     | 100      | Provisional filing fee                       |          |
| <b>SUBTOTAL (1)</b> |          |          |          | <b>\$ 0</b>                                  |          |

**2. CLAIMS**

| Total Claims         | -20 = | 0 | x | 25  | = | Fee Paid |
|----------------------|-------|---|---|-----|---|----------|
| Ind. Claims          | -3 =  | 0 | x | 100 | = |          |
| Multiple Dep. Claims |       | 0 | x | 180 | = | 0        |

**Large Entity** **Small Entity**

| Fee Code            | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description   |
|---------------------|----------|----------|----------|---|
| 1202                | 50       | 2202     | 25       | Claims in excess of 20                                  |
| 1201                | 200      | 2201     | 100      | Independent claims in excess of 3                       |
| 1203                | 360      | 2203     | 180      | Multiple dependent claim                                |
| 1204                | 200      | 2204     | 100      | Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 1205                | 50       | 2205     | 25       | Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |
| <b>SUBTOTAL (2)</b> |          |          |          | <b>0</b>  |

**3. ADDITIONAL FEES****Large Entity** **Small Entity**

| Fee Code   | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
|--|----------|----------|----------|--|----------|
| 1051   | 130      | 2051     | 65       | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 1052   | 50       | 2052     | 25       | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     |          |
| 1053   | 130      | 1053     | 130      | Non-English specification  |          |
| 1812   | 2520     | 1812     | 2520     | For filing a request for reexamination                                     |          |
| 1804   | 920*     | 1804     | 920*     | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 1805   | 1840*    | 1805     | 1840*    | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1251   | 120      | 2251     | 60       | Extension for reply within first month                                     | 60       |
| 1252   | 450      | 2252     | 225      | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 1253   | 1020     | 2253     | 510      | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 1254   | 1590     | 2254     | 795      | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 1255   | 2160     | 2255     | 1080     | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 1401   | 500      | 2401     | 250      | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 1402   | 500      | 2402     | 250      | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 1403   | 1000     | 2403     | 500      | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 1451   | 1510     | 1451     | 1510     | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 1452   | 110      | 2452     | 55       | Petition to revive -unavoidably  |          |
| 1453   | 1370     | 2453     | 685      | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 1460   | 130      | 1460     | 130      | Petitions to the Commissioner  |          |
| 1501   | 1400     | 2501     | 700      | Utility Issue fee  |          |
| 1502   | 800      | 2502     | 400      | Design issue fee   |          |
| 1503   | 1100     | 2503     | 550      | Plant issue fee  |          |
| 8007   | 20       | 8007     | 20       | Copy of Patent Application as filed  |          |
| 1807   | 50       | 1807     | 50       | Petitions related to provisional applications                              |          |
| 1806   | 180      | 1806     | 180      | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                  |          |
| 8021   | 40       | 8021     | 40       | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |
| 1801   | 790      | 2801     | 395      | Request for continued examination (RCE) (37 CFR 1.114)                     |          |
| 1810   | 790      | 2810     | 395      | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))                |          |
| 1810   | 790      | 2810     | 395      | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))             |          |
| Other fee (specify) 2814 / 65.00 Terminal Disclaimer |          |          |          |  | 65       |

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